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I am writing to respectfully request that the FCC reject NAB's petition 04-160. I am a subscriber to XM Radio. As such, I am able to instantly obtain traffic and weateher reports 24 hours a day. I value this capability very much, as I am able to avoid traffic jams and plan my drive to and from work accordingly - and save myself a lot of time each day in doing so.

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I do NOT believe that the NAB - or any other group - has any right to dictate what I can or cannot listen to - especially when I PAY for these services. My local radio stations not only do not provide 24 hour reports on weather and traffic - but they also do not provide the detail or accuracy I am able to receive through XM. I would hope they would work harder to compete with XM's excellent offerings.

Thank you for taking the time to listen to my request. I hope you will make the right decision and reject NAB's petition 04-160.

Thanks you again.